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IRA L. BARE, EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR

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The expert of corn is rapidly in-
creasing, and with the largest crop
ever grown, there should be good
times for the farmers of the United
States. Corn is the most valuable
of all crops.

SENATOR MILLS says "the man is
not born who can be elected three
times to the presidency." Presi-
dent Cleveland will probably give
out a similar opinion before the ex-
piration of ninety days.

THAT \$5 rate made by the Union
Pacific from every point in the state
to the Nebraska state fair is the
biggest concession that road ever
made. It may be a good thing for
the people to have a railroad in the
hands of receivers.

The republicans of Kansas have
renominated Chief Justice Martin,
of the supreme court, and the pops
have actually decided to put no candi-
date in the field. The pops in the
Sunflower state have had their in-
ning and have been forever retired.

ALL roads lead to Omaha this
week, and it is likely the Nebraska
metropolis will entertain the larg-
est crowd in her history. But
Omaha has worked hard to get a
big attendance at the fair and de-
serves the success which is crown-
ing her efforts.

MANUFACTURERS of bicycles have
announced that there will be no
marked changes in the wheel for
1896. The tubing will be a little
heavier and the tires a little larger,
but those are about the only
changes. The high grade wheels,
it is said, will remain at about \$100.

If Colonel Ellingham will consult
the files of THE TRIBUNE he will
find that in January last this paper
roundly denounced the action of
Frank Hilton, the retiring state oil
inspector, in not turning over cer-
tain fees. THE TRIBUNE never
hesitates to criticize a member of
its party who has been guilty of a
misdemeanor.

THE Era is "waiting" for the dis-
appointed republican office-seekers
to get home from the convention
and unshave their knives. There
is no doubt but the Era will have a
long and weary wait. Unsuccess-
ful candidates for nomination will
carry no knife for their successful
opponent. This is a year of republi-
can harmony in Lincoln county,
and the pops are very disgusted
and pained that such is the case.

KEIR HARDIE and Blood-to-His
Bridles Waite had a funny fight up
in Denver the other day. They
accused each other of the grossest
plagiarism. Hardie alleged that
whatever was good in the pop doc-
trine was cribbed from the social-
ists, but that the former had mixed
so much blamed idiocy with the
socialist doctrine that it was worthy
of little but contempt. Waite then
boldly charged the socialists with
stealing all their thunder from the
pops and considered them small
potato imitators. They enlivened
the proceedings of the rather mon-
otonous quality pertaining to that
sort of meeting and were both up-
roariously cheered by the good-
natured audience.—Journal.

THE populists are the most suc-
cessful party in the world for mak-
ing mistakes at the fatal moment.
In 1891 they nominated Joe Edger-
ton, a one-horse attorney, for su-
preme judge. A campaign of
slander was conducted and Post
beat Edgerton by 5,000. Had the
party nominated Ewing, or some
other good man. Post would have
been beaten easily. Not profiting
by the experience of the past they
have nominated Judge Maxwell
with the sole idea that he will be a
vote getter. They have cast aside
a dozen able populists, and it takes
no wise man to foretell the result.
Their action will drive many hun-
dreds of good men back into the old
parties.—Central City Nonpareil.

THE pops in Maryland, in their
state platform, have declared their
opposition to the free coinage of
silver at the ratio of 16 to 1. They
come out for full fiat money. Will
the pops of Lincoln county have the
courage and honesty to similarly
come out and acknowledge that
they also worship at the bloated
feet of the dropsical rag baby? For
many months past they have been
masquerading as the only friend of
silver, when their ulterior motive
was the goal of full irremediable fiat
money. Poor old Jim Weaver was
candid enough to admit that this
was to be their final stopping place,
and the way the more tricky mem-
bers tramped the life out of the old
man was a sublime spectacle of par-
ticide. The republican or democrat
who is deceived by the clamorings of
these perniciously pestilential
political pessimists is not wise.

The impression that Nebraska
has raised a crop this year has tend-
ed to depress the price of all farm
products on Chicago's board of
trade. What would this country
amount to without Nebraska.—Doc
Bixby.

The pops of Nebraska have in
their nomination been true to the
main plank of their variegated plat-
form adopted at the Lincoln conven-
tion. Judge Maxwell is the "initiat-
ive" and Billgreen is the referendum
of their judicial ticket.—State Journal.

The deficit in Aug. was less than
\$4,000,000. We are gaining; but, oh
for the old democratic music of
republican times. "The dangers
from an enormous surplus," when
we won't have to hire English bank-
ers and gold bugs to sit on back
steps and count the millions that
are rolled out and in.—Inter Ocean

A New York dry goods firm will
replace its 500 delivery wagons of
the old type with enough petroleum
carriages to handle the business.
A motor wagon of the kind so ex-
tensively used in Paris has been
found to answer the purpose very
well in spite of the notoriously bad
pavements of Gotham. The motor
wagons will be used where the
packages are large and heavy and
the distances long and the grades
heavy. For light business the new
bicycle carrier, driven by a boy,
will soon be found superior to all
other methods of delivery.—Ex.

Nebraska is being "advertised
again," as the Omaha papers would
say, in a new play by Augustus
Thomas. The hero and heroine of
the drama are a Nebraska congress-
man and his beautiful and ambi-
tious wife, for whom a wicked lob-
byist spreads his net, but in vain.
Virtue is rewarded at last by the
elevation of the congressman to the
United States senate. It is need-
less to say that several Nebraska
congressmen sat for the picture and
that all expect to come out in the
same way. The name given to the
Nebraska congressman, "Dale" is a
very thin disguise. Just change
one little letter and "Dave" is the
result, as plain as a pike-staff.—
Lincoln Journal.

THERE is many a former republican
who has for the past five years voted
with the populists, and who had
great hopes that much might be
done by them in the administration
of public affairs, and who are now
tired and disgusted and will quietly
vote some other ticket this fall pro-
viding they are rightly treated. The
same is also true of a great many
former democrats who have been
voting for the pops, but who do not
care to return to a defunct democ-
racy. Republicans must not think
they can be driven into the republi-
can ranks by a dirty, mud-slinging
campaign in which the present offi-
cers are slandered and maligned; let
us invite them cordially, for they
desire to see a change of adminis-
tration and are ready to come, but
are not ready to bunk in a mess of dirt.
—Keith County Republican.

The sugar crop is so large in Ne-
braska this year that the Oxnards
are offering the farmers a bonus of
25 cents a ton for holding the beets
until November in order that the
factories may be able to use them.
This is significant of the change
that has come over the dreams of
the farmer of this state in the last
four years. In 1894 the farmers of
Hall and adjacent counties were so
indifferent about beets that the fac-
tory at Grand Island was not run
at all on account of a lack of beets.
Now the farmers are thoroughly
tired of placing their entire depend-
ence upon corn and will keep the
factories running at full capacity a
month or two longer than usual.
The beet campaign has been suc-
cessful and will not have to be
fought again in this state. The
people are convinced that prosper-
ity will come with crop diversifica-
tion, and that sugar beets offer the
best variation that can be found for
the old crop program.—Journal.

An Explanation.
NORTH PLATTE, Sept. 13th.
EDITOR TRIBUNE:—I wish to state
through the columns of your paper
that F. M. Brooks, chairman of the
republican committee of Nichols
precinct, was in no way to blame
for the date on some of the posters
posted in said precinct, bearing the
date of Sept. 14th, 1895; nor for the
same being signed F. M. Brooks
as this signing was done inad-
vertently by my daughter, Mr.
Brooks and myself, with other re-
publicans of Nichols precinct, agreed
that said caucus should be held
Thursday, Sept. 12th, 1895, for the
reason that some of the people
wished to come to town on Satur-
day, Sept. 14th, and it would be
more convenient for them to meet
on Thursday, the 12th. I trust
that no hard feelings will be en-
gendered by any of our actions in
this matter, as we all wish to do
the best we can for the party of our
choice.
W. C. ELDER,
Ch'n Rep. Co. Cent. Com.

NEWS AT WASHINGTON

Comprehensive Review of Crop Pros-
pects in Europe.

HOKE SMITH AT HIS DESK.

Dividends For Creditors of National Banks.
Delivery of Columbian Medals De-
layed—Printers Expel Ex-Presi-
dent Kennedy.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.—The crop
prospects of Europe are reviewed in a
comprehensive report of the European
agent of the agricultural department.
It gives the official returns of the vari-
ous countries as follows: Great Britain,
areas under cultivation: Wheat, 1,415,-
441 acres; barley, 2,166,273; oats, 3,795,-
905. The cereal output per acre is ex-
pected to be much below the average.
In Holland, Belgium and Denmark the
crops all carried average quantity, but
the quality is deficient. Large propor-
tion of the wheat is damp and out of
condition and black; oats, barley and
rye suffered from extreme moisture.
In Switzerland the wheat crop is ex-
pected to be under 5,000,000 bushels.
In France the winter and spring wheat
quality is excellent, and the crop is ex-
pected to exceed 300,000,000 bushels.
The production of sugar for 1895 is set
down at 961,000 tons, an increase of 109,-
966 tons over the previous year. The
consumption of beet root was 7,188,000
tons, an increase of 1,817,000 tons. In
Germany wheat is a better yield than
in 1894. In Austria-Hungary the esti-
mate for wheat is under last year's. The
quality is not up to the average. In
Italy, wheat is estimated at an average
crop. In Spain the crop is not quite up
to the average either in quantity or
quality.

Printers Expel Ex-President Kennedy.
WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.—Printers of
Columbia Typographical union No. 101
voted on the charges recently filed
against ex-President John L. Kennedy
for conduct unbecoming a printer in
writing an article for the Dayton, O.,
Journal, censuring Public Printer Ben-
edict and the adoption of civil service
in the government printing office. It
was decided by a vote of 184 to 66 to ex-
pel him from the union.

Protest Against a Whiskey Cession.
WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.—Jesse Law-
son, chief commissioner of the colored
exhibit of this district at the Atlanta
exposition, has made a statement in re-
gard to the letter published by J. E.
Johnson, secretary of the commission
of which Mr. Lawson is a member, pro-
testing against the granting of a conces-
sion for the sale of cheap whiskey in the
negro building at the exposition.

Dividends For Creditors.
WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.—The com-
ptroller of the currency has declared di-
vidends in favor of the creditors of in-
solvent national banks, as follows: The
Commercial National bank of Denver,
Colo., 20 per cent.; Albuquerque Na-
tional bank of Albuquerque, N. M., 10
per cent.

Delivery of Medals Delayed.
WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.—Owing to de-
lays the World's fair Columbian di-
plomas will not be ready for delivery
until next February. The medals, of
which they are to be 24,000, will be fin-
ished some time in November next.

Hoke Smith Returns to Washington.
WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.—Secretary
Hoke Smith has returned to Washing-
ton after several weeks spent at his
home in Georgia.

Eloped With a Kickapoo.
CHICAGO, Sept. 16.—Mrs. Jennie
Sparr of Pittsburg, Kan., with the aid
of the police, found her daughter, Mrs.
Gertie Mason, who had eloped with a
full blooded Kickapoo Indian known as
Dr. Ben Loveland. Loveland is well
known throughout the west, where,
with a troop of actors, he advertises a
patent medicine, and while in Pittsburg,
Kan., captured Mrs. Mason, a pretty
divorcee 21 years old. The Indian's
wife and the girl's mother, after a long
search, found Mrs. Mason here, where
she had been deserted by Loveland.

Coke Workers After an Increase.
SCOTTDALE, Pa., Sept. 16.—The dele-
gate convention of the coke workers' re-
meeting here, to formulate plans for
demanding a raise in wages of 10 per
cent, seems fully represented. The Oil-
ver works, of the Oliver Coke and Fur-
nace company, is out, and the three
Leisenrings, of the Frick Coke com-
pany, are badly demoralized.

Letter Day Saints Convention.
COUNCIL BLUFFS, Sept. 16.—Thous-
ands of people attended the Latter Day
Saints convention Sunday. President
Joseph Smith has not arrived, sickness
having detained him. He expects to be
here surely by Tuesday. Among the
freshly arrived prominent are J. C.
Crabb of Little Sioux, Joseph Seddon
of Persia, David Chambers of Persia
and R. Etzenhouser of Kansas City.

Republicans Make Nominations.
MUSCATINE, Ia., Sept. 16.—The Re-
publicans of this county met here and
nominated the following: H. B. Wat-
son, representative; S. L. Johnson,
treasurer; H. E. Wiley, sheriff; J. A.
Townsend, county superintendent; S. M.
Hoskins, supervisor; A. G. Townley,
county surveyor.

Marshalltown at Marshalltown.
MARSHALLTOWN, Sept. 16.—The heav-
iest hailstorm ever known in this section
occurred in the south part of the coun-
ty last evening. Hail as large as home's
eggs fell for 30 minutes to a depth of a
foot in a strip a mile wide. Corn in its
path was cut to the ground. Many
chickens were killed and all windows
in farm houses to the windward side
were broken. The hail washed into
hollows to a depth of five or six feet.

Outlaw Returns to Shot.
SAN DIEGO, Cal., Sept. 16.—News has
just been received that the posse which
had been in pursuit of Isidro Renteria,
who shot Ramon Aranza near San Luis
Rey a few days ago, overtook the fugi-
tive near LeGrande, 50 miles northeast
of this city, and a bloody encounter en-
sued in which Renteria shot and killed
a Mexican constable and was himself
killed.

Thurston Starts For Home.
OMAHA, Sept. 16.—John M. Thurston
started for home in his private car from
Haley, Ida. He will arrive here today.
He has almost recovered from the se-
vere attack of Thursday.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder
ABSOLUTELY PURE

NINTH WEEK OF DURRANT'S TRIAL

Prosecution Presenting an Unbroken Chain
of Circumstantial Evidence.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 16.—The Dur-
rant trial entered upon its ninth week
this morning. A slight change in the
program was made necessary by a death
in the family of Mrs. George P. Dorgan,
whose examination was not finished
when court adjourned last Thursday.
Durrant's defenders will be unable to
persuade Mrs. Elizabeth Crossett to
modify her testimony regarding her
ride in a Valencia street car on the af-
ternoon of April 3. The old lady is as
sure of the day as she is of the fact that
she rode on the same car with Durrant
and tried to attract his attention from
the girl who was with him. Mrs.
Crossett's visit on the following day was
to the home of her son-in-law in Ala-
bama. The aged woman remembers
the day she went, and her friends who
went with her to the ferry will be able
to corroborate her.

The testimony of Mrs. Crossett will
be the key to the prosecution's arch.
By it the evidence of those who saw
Durrant before he entered the church,
and of those who saw him after will be
supported. Through it an absolutely un-
broken chain has been made, the prose-
cuting attorneys having now a case that
they did not dare hope for when Dis-
trict Attorney Barnes made his opening
statement.

Prison Congress Opened.

DENVER, Sept. 16.—The Denver prison
congress opened with the annual ad-
dress of Captain Joseph Nicholson of
Detroit, president of the National Prison
association. His address was a model
of brevity, merely urging upon the dele-
gates pertinence and terseness in their
discussion. There are 50 delegates pres-
ent, 11 of whom are women. Colonel
R. S. Allen, warden of the Joliet, Ills.,
penitentiary, read a paper on "Convict
Labor." The contract system, he said,
was inhuman, and must eventually be
abolished. Colonel Allen said the state
account system in vogue at Joliet was a
complete success. In the discussion that
followed Warden Chambers of Michi-
gan declared the state account system
was not a success in that state.

An Easterner Lost In Colorado.

DENVER, Sept. 16.—Glen Ford Mc-
Kinney of New York, son of John L.
McKinney, a Titusville (Pa.) bank presi-
dent, has been lost in the mountains in
northwestern Colorado for 10 days. He
became separated from the hunting party
of which he was a member and in spite
of diligent search, no trace of him has
been found. His father has offered a
reward of \$500 for any news of him,
dead or alive. Young McKinney is
about 25 years of age and of good phys-
ique, but was wholly unaccustomed to
"roughing it," and, besides, was some-
what indisposed at the time of his dis-
appearance.

Calumet Resumes Business.

CHICAGO, Sept. 16.—The Calumet
blast furnace at South Chicago, which
stopped business three years ago, has re-
sumed operations and the prospects are
that no further interruptions will oc-
cur. President Ridgely of the company
says that the constantly increasing de-
mand for iron in the United States is
the cause for resuming work. Branch
offices of the Calumet company are at
Cleveland, St. Louis, Pittsburg and Philadelphia, while the
general western agents will be at Cin-
cinnati. About 2,000 men will be em-
ployed at the Chicago plant.

Nebraska Man For Fish Commissioner.

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—A special to
The Herald from Washington says: It
is reported that President Cleveland has
practically determined to appoint W.
L. May of Omaha commissioner of fish
and fisheries, to succeed the late Mar-
shall McDonald. Mr. May has been
fish commissioner for Nebraska for the
last 15 years. His appointment, if
made, will be due to Secretary Morton's
indorsement.

Methodist Conference Ended.

VALENTINE, Neb., Sept. 16.—The
Methodist Episcopal conference for the
northwest Nebraska district, which has
been in session here the past week, has
closed. Delegates to the general confer-
ence, which meets at Cleveland next
summer, are: Ministerial, presiding
elder delegate, A. R. Julian; reserve, O.
S. Moore; lay, George E. Gorton; dele-
gate reserve, T. M. Huntington.

Final Chapter In the Mine Horror.

CALUMET, Mich., Sept. 16.—This
morning the bodies of Malstrom and
Walter Dahl were discovered in the 18th
level of the Osceola mine No. 4 and
brought to the surface. This ends the
final chapter in the Osceola mine hor-
ror, as the two bodies found today make
up the full quota of those who lost their
lives in the mine.

Late Senator McDonald's Partner Dead.

INDIANAPOLIS, Sept. 16.—Worship
has been received from New York that
the Hon. John M. Butler of this city died
in that city. Butler was one of the best
known lawyers in Indiana. He was for
many years the partner of the late Unit-
ed States Senator Joseph E. McDonald.
Mr. Butler was 61 years old. He was
very wealthy.

Five Bicycle Riders Suspended.

DENVER, Sept. 16.—Five riders have
been suspended by C. H. Hilton, Jr.,
representing the national racing board
of the League of American Wheelmen,
for riding in an unsanctioned race on
Sunday. They are: F. M. Smith, A. A.
Packer, C. O. Thomas, D. S. Scott and
G. M. Spencer.

Boy Shoots a Companion.

DWIGHT, Neb., Sept. 16.—Ollie Mc-
Grew, while fooling with a 44-caliber
revolver, accidentally shot Fred Dunn
in the left side of the forehead. Dunn
is insensible, and the wound may prove
fatal.

Another Million For Export.

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—Crescent Bros.
have engaged \$1,000,000 at the subtreas-
ury for export.

IRRIGATIONISTS MEET.

Large Attendance at Fourth National
Congress at Albuquerque.

MANY NEW LAWS PASSED.

Chairman Smythe, In His Opening Ad-
dress, Calls Attention to the Legal Es-
timates During Last Year—Differ-
ence in Official Opinions.

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., Sept. 16.—The
fourth national irrigation congress
opened here today with a large attend-
ance, Kansas, Nebraska, Texas, Okla-
homa, Colorado, Utah, California and
Arizona being represented. Delegates
are present from many parts of the Cana-
da. William E. Smythe, chairman of the
national commission, then addressed
the convention as follows:

"I congratulate you, gentlemen, upon
the record of the most momentous year
in the history of irrigation as a moral and
intellectual movement. Since we last
assembled, the irrigation movement of
Kansas, Nebraska and Texas has tri-
umphed in effective legislation. By
legal enactments the men of the plains
have recognized that irrigation west of
the 100th meridian is fundamental to
agricultural prosperity. No man can
overestimate the significance of that
recognition. It means a new Kansas, a
new Nebraska, a new Texas. It means
sure crops and industrial independence,
small farms and social opportunities.
Of the remaining states of the plains,
South Dakota has preceded her sisters
in the provision of irrigation laws, while
North Dakota and Oklahoma have each
a well organized public sentiment look-
ing to similar results.

New Era In Western Progress.

"The passage by congress in August,
1894, of the law granting 1,000,000 acres
of arid public lands to each of the de-
sert states called for the enactment of
supplementary legislation, and furnished
the occasion for a vigorous campaign
before the legislatures of eight states,
Wyoming, Colorado, Montana, Idaho,
Washington and Nevada accepted the
grant of 1,000,000 acres each, and all ex-
cept Nevada provided appropriations
and administrative machinery to render
the grant immediately operative. In
Oregon a vigorous effort was made to
the same end but was defeated narrow-
ly in the closing hours of the legislative
session. The laws enacted in accepting
the Carey grant marks a new era in our
western progress.

"Without exception they recognize the
duties and rights of states to acquire
and control the reclamation of public
lands and the use of public waters.
Without exception they fix the maxi-
mum prices at which such lands and at-
taching water rights shall be sold, and
without exception they provide for the
ultimate ownership by the people of ir-
rigation works built in connection with
these lands. The enunciation of these
vital principles in the laws of five dif-
ferent states is another event which
renders the past year remarkable in the
history of irrigation movement.

Differences of Opinion.

"But in spite of all that has been ac-
complished, difficulties have arisen in
the practical application of the Carey
law. Grave differences of opinion as to
its meaning have developed between
state officials and the officers of the in-
terior department at Washington. While
it was evidently the desire of con-
gress to have these lands reclaimed and
settled under state laws, the law has
apparently failed to confer the necessary
power upon the states.

"One of the most encouraging devel-
opments of the past year was the action
of Secretary Smith, of the interior, and
Secretary Morton, of the agricultural
departments, in countenancing the
formation on the part of a number of
specialists in their respective bureaus of
the body known as the "board of irri-
gation, executive departments." The
most gratifying feature of the matter is
the evidence it affords of the growing
recognition in official circles of irri-
gation as a national question.

Decision of Judge Ross.

"The most conspicuous irrigation stat-
ute in the United States is the district
law of California. In connection with
this law there has recently occurred an
event of far reaching importance, both
to the economies and practices of irri-
gation. I refer to the decision of Judge
Ross in the United States district court
of Los Angeles, to the effect that the
Wright law is unconstitutional, and
that the millions upon millions of ac-
curities which have been issued in com-
pliance with its provisions are invalid.
If this decision be accepted in its full
force and meaning, it is a calamity of
the largest proportions. It would de-
stroy in a breath the usefulness of great
systems of canals, which have been
wholly or partially constructed, and
plunge into chaos the industrial ma-
chinery of large and thickly populated
districts, and would give to irrigation
in general a bad reputation in financial
circles scarcely to be outlived in a genera-
tion.

"It remains to be seen whether the
United States supreme court will con-
firm the astounding decision of Judge
Ross. The best legal opinion appar-
ently believes that it will. I believe I ex-
press the sentiment not only of this con-
gress, but of the men of arid America,
throughout its length and breadth when
I say that the holders of the aforesaid
accurities need not fear the loss of their
investment whatever the final legal
status of the case."

Jokey Clubs Bury the Hatchet.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 16.—The Cal-
ifornia and the Pacific Coast Jokey
clubs have agreed to bury the hatchet.
To avoid a setback race, such as has
ruined races in Chicago and other eastern
cities, the directors of the two rival
racing organizations agreed to avert the
threatened clash by an interchange of
dates.